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Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 04-1105, under Order No. 65972(54748). A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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